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The Post and Courier

State of South Carolina

County of Charleston

Personally appeared before me the undersigned advertising Clerk of the above indicated newspaper published in the City of Charleston, County and State aforesaid, who, being duly sworn, says that the advertisement of

(Copy attached)

appeared in the issues of said newspaper on the following day(s):

12/27/2005

at a cost of \$ 252.40
Account# H862799
Order# C220YR9Q
P.O. Number: Palmetto
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of December 2005
A.D. 2005

Keisha Ebling
Advertising Clerk

Sherry Dufrenoy
NOTARY PUBLIC, SC
My Commission expires 10/10/13

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF FILING

DOCKET NO. 2005-390-C

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Public Service Commission of South Carolina
Attn: Docketing Department
Post Office Drawer 11649
Columbia, SC 29211

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The Beaufort Gazette

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STATE OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF BEAUFORT

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me a Public, in and for State and County, after Sara Johnson Borton who being duly according to law, deposes and says that the Publisher of *The Beaufort Gazette* newspaper published Sunday through Saturday every week in Beaufort County, South Carolina, Solutions Ink, Notice of Filing, Docket No. 2005-390-C, was published in the issue of The Beaufort Gazette on December 30,

Sara Johnson Borton

Sara Johnson Borton
Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of December, 2005.

Amale G. Mayfield
Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires 26 Oct 2008

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January 4, 2006

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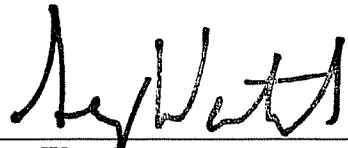
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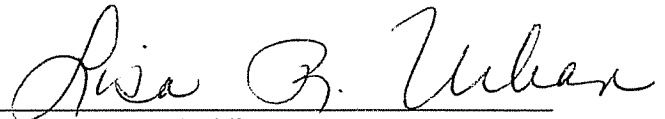
AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION: State of South Carolina
County of Horry

Before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared – Gary Wortel, who, after being duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is publisher of the Sun Publishing Company, Inc., at Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. In the county and state aforesaid: that the above ad(s) was (were) printed and published in said newspaper, on said date(s).



Gary Wortel

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of January 2006.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires August 7, 2007

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THE STATE-RECORD CO., INC.
Columbia, South Carolina
publisher of
The State

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF RICHLAND**

Personally appeared before me, Peggy Lawrence, Advertising Sales Support Manager of THE STATE, and makes oath that the advertisement,

Notice of Filing – Docket 2005-390-C - PUPS

THE STATE, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in Columbia, State and County aforesaid, in the issues of

Peggy Lawrence

sworn to before me

January 4, 2006

Notary Public

"Errors- the liability of the publisher on account of errors in or omissions from any advertisement will in no way exceed the amount of the charge for the space occupied by the item in error, and then only for the first incorrect insertion."